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- producing a homogeneous mixture of the active principle and the excipient, containing at least 50% of active principle;
 - subjecting the homogeneous mixture of a high compression;
 - grinding the compressed articles obtained; and
 - putting into a form suitable for administration.--

REMARKS

Claims 73-94 are pending in the present application.

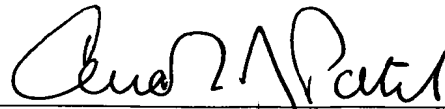
Entry of the above amendments is earnestly solicited. An early and favorable first action on the merits is earnestly requested.

Should there be any matters that need to be resolved in the present application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 25-0120 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.

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